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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Masahiro ISHII, PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE  
SERIAL NO: 09/926,674  
FILED: November 30, 2001  
FOR: TRANSPARENT HEAT-SEALING FILM

"RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-  
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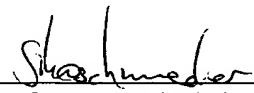
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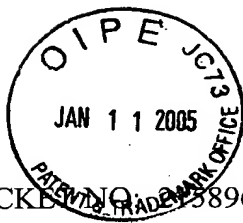
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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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Responsive to the Office Action of December 2, 2004, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Basis for the Amendment** begins on page 5 of this paper.

**Request for Reconsideration** begins on page 6 of this paper.

**Request for Rejoinder** begins on page 9 of this paper.

**Information Disclosure Statement** begins on page 10 of this paper.